

2012



Takoma Park Recreation Department

WINTER BASKETBALL LEAGUE



LEAGUE PHILOSOPHY

The Winter Basketball League is a non-competitive, instructional, community league.

Program goals are to:

- introduce boys and girls to the fundamentals of basketball
- emphasize that playing the game and being a member of a team are more important than winning by not establishing league standings or having playoffs/championship games
- encourage personal improvement, sportsmanship, and fun
- provide comparable playing time for all participants
- meet new kids from community and surrounding areas



Ages

K* - 8th Grade

*Must be 5 years old by January 7, 2012

In partnership with the
Takoma Park Recreation Committee!

COORDINATORS

League is separated as shown below. For more information about a particular division please contact the division coordinator.

Kindergarten (Coed)	1st Grade (Coed)	2nd Grade (Coed)	3rd & 4th Grade (Girls)	3rd & 4th Grade (Boys)	5th & 6th Grade (Girls)	5th & 6th Grade (Boys)	7th & 8th Grade (Coed)
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Last year, the Winter Basketball League served nearly 600 boys and girls ages 5 – 12 years and grades K – 8 living in and around Takoma Park, Maryland... Don't miss out this year — register early!

Registration Options

1) **Online Registration:** activenet.active.com/takomaparkrecreation

2) **Walk-in Registration:**

- **Takoma Park Community Center**
7500 Maple Ave, Takoma Park, MD. 20912
- **Takoma Park Recreation Center***
7315 New Hampshire Ave, Takoma Park, MD. 20912

*Recreation Center accepts checks, money orders, or credit cards only. NO CASH.

3) **Download and send your Registration Form** to Takoma Park Recreation Department, 7500 Maple Avenue, Takoma Park, MD 20912, Attn: Basketball. **Payment must be included to be registered and postmarked by the Registration Deadline* (December 9); *Registration will be accepted on a first-come first-served basis until the maximum number of registrations is reached per division. Make checks payable to "City of Takoma Park". After the registration deadline has passed or a particular division is full, registrations will ONLY be taken for teams that have spaces available. The Takoma Park Recreation Department reserves the right to place participants on any team with available spaces.**

Registration deadline

December 9, 2011 or sooner*.

*each division has a capacity; once a division is full, registration for that division will close prior to the December 9 deadline.



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• (301) 891-7290 • www.takomaparkmd.gov/recreation •



Registration Fees

T. P. City Residents: \$60

Non-Residents: \$70

Scholarship Opportunity*

Scholarship Registration Fee: \$10

*Scholarship opportunities are available to all Takoma Park Residents in need of assistance. This benefit is available to Takoma Park residents who can provide proof of enrollment in the Free or Reduced Meals program or similar financial assistance program.

Practice*

Begins in January (*Practice times are determined by gym availability and coach's schedule).

Weekday practices will be one hour at the same time and location. One practice per week.

Games

January 7, 2012: First game of season (season is 8 weeks)

Volunteer coaches!

The Recreation Department would like to thank all of the volunteer coaches from last year!

Please contact your respective division coordinator if you would like to coach this year.

Volunteer coaches are needed, training is provided.